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May 23, 1994

Gerald Stern, Esq.  
Commission on Judicial Conduct  
801 Second Avenue  
New York, NY 10017

Re: Mr. Justice Theodore R. Kupferman  
Appellate Division: First Department.

Dear Mr. Stern,

On March 22, 1994, I filed a complaint with the Department Disciplinary Committee against Donald F. Schneider, Esq. (Docket No. 94.1019), a copy of which is enclosed.

In Mr. Schneider's response, he does not deny any of the allegations set forth in my complaint, including: (i) that his sworn affidavit that Sam Polur, Esq., served him on April 10, 1985 with a summons was perjurious; and (ii) during the incarceration of Mr. Polur and myself, they threatened our client, Hyman Raffe, with incarceration unless he succumbed, which he did, and agreed, inter alia, to pay "extortion" monies, which Mr. Raffe, in an unsolicited affidavit, swore "exceeded \$2,000,000."

These check "extortion" payments, as well as the written agreement under which they were made, are available.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE SASSOWER

cc: Mr. Justice Theodore R. Kupferman